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The following information was submitted by Informant 1016 (Evaluation: "B"), who was present at both meetings described in this report. The information was given to the undersigned agent at a previously arranged meeting on 12 November 1951. (Information: 3) On 9 November 1951, Dr. Adolf SLAVIK, the organizer of the Nationale Liga, instructed Source to meet him at the Währinger Stadtbahnstation, Vienna XVIII, on 11 November 1951 at 0830 hours. Source was told they would be present at the opening of two new NL Sections in Krems and Herzogenburg, Lower Austria. On 11 November 1951, Dr. SLAVIK met Source at the appointed time and place. SLAVIK was driving an Opel Kadett, license No. N-7268. In the car, in addition to SLAVIK, were Franz HAIDNER, the National Chairman of the NL; and Martin [redacted], an active NL member. The party arrived at the [redacted] Inn, Krems, Lower Austria, Langenloiserstrasse [redacted]. They found the main room decorated with red flags on which appeared the emblem of the NL. The NL emblem consists of three radii extending in the directions south, northwest, and northeast if north were assumed to be at the top of a circle. The ends of each of these spokes are crossed with a short straight bar perpendicular to the line of the radius. This design is on a circular field of white. The field is centered on a red flag. Approximately 80 persons were present at the ceremonies and, after a short speech, SLAVIK installed Franz HAIDNER, Krems, Lower Austria, Schwedengasse 2, as section chairman and Dr. Peter OSKAR, Krems, Lower Austria, Ringstrasse 48, as organization leader. HAIDNER then spoke for approximately one hour and fifteen minutes about the aims and intentions of the NL. The group then broke up to have lunch and discuss, in small groups, subjects pertinent to the NL. Source sat next to Leopold HEINDL, a Socialist Gemeinderat from Schoenberg am Kamp. HEINDL expressed great dissatisfaction with the direction in which the Socialist Party is being guided, and hopes to form a strong NL group in the "Kamptal". Source led those in his group in an economic discussion and answered questions concerning the financial status of Austria.			
5. TYPED NAME AND TITLE OF SPECIAL AGENT		6. SIGNATURE OF SPECIAL AGENT	
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SLAVIK's party then departed for Herzogenburg and at 1600 hours began the same ceremonies as previously described. The meeting took place in the ~~Hotel~~ ~~Hotel~~ ~~Hotel~~ Inn with 68 persons present. ~~Dr. Hans TORSCH~~, a local dentist, was installed as section chairman and ~~Otto KOPFHAUSER~~, a local architect, was entrusted with the position of organization leader. HAIDNER spoke on the same theme as in Krems, followed by discussions for approximately 50 minutes. The meeting then broke up into individual groups and discussion continued until 2100 hours.

During the ride back to Vienna, SLAVIK dominated the conversation. He seemed especially pleased with the manner in which Source had conducted himself during the day's activities, but at the same time warned Source against apostasy. SLAVIK complained that Walther TROCH, the Deputy Chairman of the NL, is continually acting against SLAVIK's orders and seems to be of another opinion than SLAVIK. SLAVIK continued that he dreams of a great unity of states under the protectorate of Russia. He believes that the only salvation for Europe and Germany lies in orientation towards the East. SLAVIK stated that only Russia will approve a strong German state. SLAVIK told Source that he appeared tired and should rest until 22 November 1951, when SLAVIK plans some important meetings (Bundeszusammenkunft). On 5 November 1951, Source had been notified that he should prepare himself to speak on the subjects, "The Attitude of Youth Towards the State of Today" and "What Does Youth Expect from the NL and What Has the NL to Offer Youth". These themes were to be prepared for delivery at an unannounced date in the latter part of November or the early part of December 1951. Source expressed the opinion that perhaps SLAVIK planned a series of youth meetings to expand his National Jugend organization. The party arrived in Vienna at approximately 2330 hours.

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Complexion of the Nationale Liga". This report gives
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